Substitu	ute for f	orm 1449A/PTO				С	omplete if Kr	nown
	IEO PI	MATION DIS	ירו טפווב) E	Applica	tion Number		
		MENT BY A			Filing D	Date	7/3/2003	
l ĭ			ii i Lioni	•	First Na	amed Inventor	DOUGLAS	
					Group Art Unit		3736	
(use	as mai	ny sheets as nece	essary)		Examin	er Name.	Not Assigned	
Sheet	1	of	6		Attorne	y Docket Number	7404-543	
				U.S.	PATE	NT DOCUMENTS	4	
Examiner Initials* Cite No.1 Number-Kind Code (if known)			ation Date Name of Pate OD-YYYY Application of Cite			Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear		
MA		3,623,475		11-	30-1971	Sanz		
Ă		3,685,509		08-	22-1972 Bentall			· ·
		4,151,832		05-	01-1979	Hamer		
		4,360,016		11-	23-1982	Sarrine		
		4,503,856		03-	12-1985	Comell et al.		
		4,517,978		05-	21-1985	Levin et al.		
		4,622,974		11-	18-1986	Coleman et al.		
		4,627,445		12-	09-1986	Garcia et al.		
		4,637,403		01-	20-1987	Garcia et al.		
		4,648,408		03-	10-1987	Hutcheson et al.		
		4,653,511		03-	31-1987	Goch		
		4,653,513		03-	31-1987	Dombrowski		,
		4,658,821		04-	21-1987	Chiodo et al.		
		4,685,463		08-	11-1987	Williams		
		4,787,398		11-	29-1988	Garcia et al.		
		4,790,979		12-	13-1988	Terminiello et al.		,
		4,805,623		02-	21-1989	Jobsis		
		4,850,973		07-	25-1989	Jordan et al.		
		4,858,607		08-	22-1989	Jordan et al.	, = -	
		4,873,993		10-	17-1989	Meserol et al.		
$oxed{}$		4,883,068		11-	28-1989	Dechow		
MA		4,920,977		05-	01-1990	Haynes		\

Examiner	. 1 1 1	Date	-1-1-
Signature	Mil An	Considered	7/20/06

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the Indication of the year of the reign of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the ap@propriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 If possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here If English language Translation is attached.

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

Substit	Substitute for form 1449A/PTO						Complete if Known					
A1	1EUD#	MATION) Die	CI O	SHP	, _E	Applica	ition Number				
	_	MENT E				T I	Filing D	ate	7/3/2003			
			~	• L	. JAI'	•	First Na	amed Inventor	DOUGLAS			
		4 طحم من				Ì	Group Art Unit 3736					
		y sheets a]			Not Assigned			
Sheet	2		of	6				,	7404-543			
						U.S.	PATEN	NT DOCUMENTS				
Examiner Initials* No.1 Document Number Number-Kind Code (if known)			tion Date D-YYYY	Name of Pate Application of Cite		Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear						
MA		4,924,879	9		<u> </u>	05-	15-1990	O'Brien				
<u> </u>		4,953,552		i	09-1	04-1990	DeMarzo					
		4,976,724	4			12-	11-1990	Nieto et al.		-		
	1	4,994,068		02-	19-1991	Hufnagle						
	5,002,054		03-2	26-1991	Ash et al.							
		5,014,718			05-	14-1991	Mitchen					
		5,029,583	3			07-1	09-1991	Meserol et al.				
		5,035,704	4	-		07-	30-1991	Lambert et al.				
		5,054,499			10-1	08-1991	Swierczek					
<u> </u>		5,066,859				19-1991						
		5,070,886				1	10-1991					
		5,100,620						Brenneman				
		5,108,889					28-1992					
		5,163,442					17-1992					
		5,165,418					Tankovich					
		5,201,324			1	13-1993						
,		5,217,480			L		Haber et al.					
		5,231,993			$\overline{\underline{}}$	Ĺ		Haber et al.				
		5,277,198					11-1994	ļ				
		5,279,294						Anderson et al.				
1		5,318,583						Rabenau et al.				
MA		5,318,584	4			06-	07-1994	Lange et al.				

Examiner Signature	Mil	An	Date Considered	7/20/06

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the ap@propriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Substit	Substitute for form 1449A/PTO						Complete if Known				
"	VEO P	MATION	פוח ו	יכו כ	SUE	}F	Applica	tion Number			
1	-	MENT E					Filing C	ate	7/3/2003		
`	<i>,</i> ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,					••	First Na	amed Inventor	DOUGLAS		
							Group Art Unit 3736				
(us	e as ma	ny sheets a	s nece	essary	') 		Examin	er Name	Not Assigned	,	
Sheet	3		of	6	•		Attorne	y Docket Number	7404-543	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
		<u> </u>				U.S	PATE	NT DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Doc Number-K	cument				tion Date D-YYYY	Name of Pat Application of Cit		· Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	
MA		5,320,607	7			06-	14-1994	Ishibashi			
Λ		5,368,047	7			11-	29-1994	Suzuki et al.		٠	
		5,395,387	7			03-	07-1995	Burns			
		5,402,798	8	•			04-1995				
		5,569,212	2			10-	29-1996	Brown			
		5,582,184	4			1		Erickson et al.			
		5,628,309	9			05-	13-1997	Brown	,		
		5,628,764	4			03-	21-1995	Schraga			
		5,638,828	8			06-	17-1997	Lauks et al.			
		5,682,233	3			10-	28-1997	Brinda			
		5,700,699				I	23-1997				
		5,879,31	1	- .		03-	09-1999	Duchon et al.			
	<u> </u>	5,891,053	3				-06-1999 			•	
		5,935,864	4			ł	10-1999				
		5,947,957					07-1999				
		5,948,69					·17-1997 			/	
		6,056,70					02-2000				
		6,099,484						Douglas et al.			
	<u> </u>	6,162,639				L	19-2000				
		6,271,045			B1	ļ		Douglas et al.			
$\bot \Psi$		6,352,514			B1		-05-2002 				
MA		6,455,324	4		B1	09	24-2002	Douglas			

Examiner	1 1	A	Date	1	
Signature	MJ	An	Considered	7/2	0/06

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

WEMMH/SB/08A (4/03)
Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

Substit	ute for fo	orm 1449A/	PTO			Complete if Known			
18.	IEADI	MATION	nie	CLOSUR) = i,	Applica	tion Number		
				PPLICAN		Filing Date		7/3/2003	
ľ							First Named Inventor		
(Group /	Art Unit	3736	
(use as many sheets as necessary)						Examiner Name		Not Assigned	
Sheet	4		of	6		Attorney Docket Number		7404-543	
					U.S.	PATE	IT DOCUMENTS		
Examiner	Cite	Document Number			Publication Date				Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant
Initials*	No.1	Number-K	Ind Co	de (if known)	MM-D	D-YYYY	Application of Cit	ted Document	Figures Appear
MA		D 254,444	4		03-	11-1980	Levine		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

Examiner Signature	Mil An	Date Considered 7/20/06	
	1 100.40		

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the ap@propriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

WEMMI/SB/08A (4/03)
Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0831-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1895, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

Substit	ute for fo	rm 1449A/PTO			C	Complete if I	Known	
18	IEADI	AATION DI	SCLOSURE	Application Number				
			APPLICANT	Filing Date		7/3/2003		
	,,,,,,	MENT DI	AI I LIOAIII	First Named Invento	First Named Inventor Group Art Unit			
_				Group Art Unit			3736	
(us	e as mar	y sheets as ned	cessary)	Examiner Name Not Assigned		i		
Sheet	5	of	6	Attorney Docket Nur	mber	7404-543	·	_
			FC	REIGN PATENT DO	CUM	ENTS		
Examiner Initials*	Cite ₁ No.	Foreing Pater Country Code- Nu	nt Document mbe ² -Kind Code ³ (if know	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Applic	of Patentee or cation of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T
MA		DE 3,508,365		08-29-1985				尸
<u> </u>		DE 34 26 090		04-18-1985	1			卩
		DE 37 08 031		11-12-1987				口
	-	EP 0 453 283		10-23-1991				口
	-	JP 08000598	···	01-09-1996		-		口
		WO 85/04089		09-26-1985	1			口
		WO 88/00812		02-11-1988	1			口
		WO 95/10223		04-20-1995	†			口
MA		WO 97/43962		11-27-1997	 			口

Examiner Signature	Mil	Ar	Date Considered	7/20/06
	7		_1	

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the apopropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

WEMMH/SB/08B (403)
Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE collection of information unless it contains a valid OMR contail available.

Substit	ute for fo	m 1449A/PTO				Complete if Known			
	IFODA	AATION DI	CI OCUDI	_	Application Number	.]			
			SCLOSURI APPLICAN		Filing Date	7/3/2003			
	HIL	MCMI DI 7	AFFLICAN	'	First Named Inventor DOUGLAS				
				ļ	Group Art Unit	3736			
(usi	as man	y sheets as ned	essary)	Ì	Examiner Name	Not Assigned			
Sheet	6	of	6		Attorney Docket Number	7404-543			
		OTHER PRI	OR ART - NO	N PAT	TENT LITERATURE DO	CUMENTS			
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. 1				ETTERS), title of the article (when a g, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue of where published	appropriate), title of the Item (book, number(s) publisher city and/or country	T ²		
		Critical Review	s in Bioengine	ering, 1	1990				
MA									
1		Critical Review	s in Biochemic	al Engi	ineering, 1990	-			
		ASH ET AL., "Subcutaneous Capillary Filtrate Collector for Measurement of Blood Glucose", ASAIO Journal, 1992							
		ASH ET AL., "A Subcutaneous Capillary Filtrate Collector for Measurement of Blood Chemistries", ASAIO Journal, 1993							
			, "Re-evaluation nal of Physiological natural natura			uring Interstitial Fluid Pressure*,			
		GINSBERG,	An Overview of	Minima	ally Invasive Technologie",	Clinical Chemistry, 1992			
		JANLE-SWAIN ET AL., "Use of a Capillary Filtrate Collector for Monitoring Glucose in Diabetics", ASAIO Journal, 1987							
		KAYASHIMA ET AL., "Suction Effusion Fluid from Skin and Constituent Analysis: New Candidate for Interstitial Fluid", American Journal of Physiology, 1992							
V		KORTHIUS E	LA., "Interstiti	um & L	ymphatic Techniques",	:			
MA		TURNER ET /	AL., "Diabetes N	Mellitus	: Biosensors for Research a	and Management", Biosensors, 1985			

1/20/08	Examiner ¹ Signature	JA Li	Date Considered	7/20/06
---------	---------------------------------	-------	--------------------	---------

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

OIP E VOIZE

WEMMH/SB/08A (4/03)
Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Pacegork Reduction Act 995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

Substi	itute for form	1489APTO			Complete if Known				
	NEODIA	TION DIG	CI OCUBE	Application Number	10/612,852				
			SCLOSURE APPLICANT	Filing Date	7/3/2003				
,	SIMIENIL	ENI DI A	APPLICATI	First Named Inventor	DOUGLAS, J. ROE, RADWANSKI, DUCHO				
				Group Art Unit	3736				
(us	se as many si	heets as nec	essary)	Examiner Name	Not Assigned				
Sheet	1	of	7	Attorney Docket Number	7404-543				
	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS								

Pages, Columns, Lines where **Publication Date** Name of Patentee or **Document Number** Cite Examiner Relevant Passages or Relevant MM-DD-YYYY **Application of Cited Document** Initials* No.1 Number-Kind Code (if known) Figures Appear 08-09-1955 Vang 2,714,890 MA 04-23-1969 Balamuth et al. 3,086,288 09-28-1965 Stem 3,208,452 3,673,475 06-27-1972 Britton, Jr. 3,832,776 09-03-1974 Sawyer 03-07-1978 Sandhage et al. 4,077,406 05-15-1979 Feldstein et al. 4,154,228 Hofert et al. 05-20-1980 4,203,446 09-23-1980 Fluent et al. 4,223,674 10-28-1980 Holman et al. 4,230,118 11-02-1982 Kubota 4,356,826 Burns et al. 05-22-1984 4,449,529 07-31-1984 **Erhlich** 4,462,405 Tarello et al. 4,518,384 05-21-1985 08-20-1985 Yoon 4,535,773 4,553,541 11-19-1985 Burns et al. 06-14-1988 Berkman et al. 4,750,489 01-03-1989 Munsch et al. 4,794,926 04-25-1989 Bajada 4,823,806 02-26-1991 Smith et al. 4,995,402 Smith et al. 09-10-1991 5,047,044 5,097,810 03-24-1992 Fishman et al.

Examiner Signature	Mil	An	Date Considered	7/20/06
		والمستون والم والمستون والمستون والمستون والمستون والمستون والمستون والمستو		

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that Issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 If possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Substitu	ute for fo	rm 1449A/PTO			Complete if Known			
16.	IEOD!	MATION DIS	CI OSLIB		Applica	tion Number	10/612,852	
	-	MENT BY A			Filing D	ate .	7/3/2003	
	IAIE	MENI DI A	LICA	• •	First Na	amed Inventor	DOUGLAS, J.	ROE, RADWANSKI, DUCHO
					Group /	Art Unit	3736	
(use as many sheets as necessary)					Examin	er Name	Not Assigned	
Sheet	2	of	7	-	Attorne	y Docket Number	7404-543	
-				U.S.	PATE	NT DOCUMENTS	4	
Evaminer Cite Document Number Pu					tion Date D-YYYY	Name of Pat Application of Cit		Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		5,145,565	(09-	08-1992	Kater et al.	_	i iguica Appear
AM		5,152,775				Ruppert		
1		5,188,118			23-1993			
1		5,189,751		03-	02-1993	Giuliani et al.		
		5,222,504				Solomon		
		5,320,808		1		Holen et al.		
		5,415,169		05-	16-1995	Siczek et al.		
-		5,472,427		12-	05-1995	Rammler		
		5,474,084		12-	12-1995	Cunniff		
		5,514,152		05-	07-1996	Smith		
		5,529,074		06-	25-1996	Greenfield		
		5,575,403		11-	19-1996	Charlton et al.		
		5,630,986		02-	20-1997	Charlton et al.		
		5,632,410		05-	27-1997	Moulton et al.		
		5,714,390		02-	03-1998	Hallowitz et al.		
		5,720,924		02-	24-1998	Eikmeier et al.		
		5,738,244				Charlton et al.		
		5,758,643		06-	02-1998	Wong et al.		
		5,776,157			-07-1998			
		5,788,651		08-	04-1998	Weilandt		
		5,800,781		09-	-01-1998	Gavin et al.		
MA		5,801,057		09-	-01-1998	Smart et al.		

Examiner Signature	Mil An	Date Considered	7/20/06

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

								· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Substit	ute for fo	orm 1449A/PTO				Complete if Known		
l IN	IFORI	MATION DIS	CLOSUR	E	Applica	tion Number	10/612,852	
*-		MENT BY A			Filing D	ate	7/3/2003	
					First Na	med Inventor	DOUGLAS, J. ROE, RADWANSKI, DUCHO	
					Group /	Art Unit	3736	
(us	e as mai	ny sheets as nece	essary)		Examin	er Name	Not Assigned	
Sheet	3	of	i	Attorne	y Docket Number	7404-543		
			<u> </u>	U.S.	PATEN	IT DOCUMENTS	<u> </u>	
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Document Number-Kind Co			tion Date D-YYYY	Name of Pate Application of Cit		Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
MA		5,810,199		09-	22-1998	Charlton et al.		
		5,823,973		10-	20-1998	Racchini, et al.		
 		5,830,219		11-	03-1998	Bird et al.		
		5,846,490		12-	08-1998 Yokota et al.			
		5,854,074	12-	29-1998 Charlton et al.				
		5,855,801	5,855,801			Lin et al.		
		5,863,800		01-	26-1999	Eikmeier et al.		
		5,871,494	···	02-	16-1999	Simons et al.		
		5,880,829		03-	09-1999	Kauhaniemi et al.		
		5,885,211		03-	23-1999	Eppstein et al.		
		5,916,229		06-	29-1999	Evans		
		5,935,075		08-	10-1999	Casscells et al.		
		5,938,679		08-	17-1999	Freeman et al.		
		5,951,582				Thome et at.		
		5,968,063		10-	19-1999	Chu et al.		
		5,971,941		10-	26-1999	Simons et al.		
		5,997,561		1		Bocker et al.		
		6,027,459		02-	22-2000	Shain et al.		
		6,036,924		03-	14-2000	Simons et al.		
		6,048,352		04-	11-2000	Douglas et al.		
1		6,071,294		06-	06-2000	Simons et al.		
MA		6,093,156		07-	25-2000	Cunningham et al.		

Examiner Signature	Mil	An	Date Considered	7/20/06

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO						Complete if Known				
	ićob:		, DIC	CI OCUE		Applica	tion Number	10/612,852	10/612,852	
				CLOSUR PPLICAN		Filing D	ate	7/3/2003		
l [°]	HAIE	. IAICTAILE	. A	FFLIVAI	• •		med Inventor	DOUGLAS, J.	DOUGLAS, J. ROE, RADWANSKI, DUCHO	
l ,						Group /	Art Unit	3736		
(use	as mar	ny sheets a	s nece	ssary)		Examin	er Name	Not Assigned		
Sheet	4	of 7		Attorne	y Docket Number	7404-543				
					U.S.	PATEN	IT DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1			Number de (if known)		tion Date D-YYYY	Name of Pat Application of Cit		Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	
AM		6,117,630			09-	12-2000	Reber et al.			
W.		6,120,462			09-	19-2000	Hibner et al.			
		6,132,44	9		10-	17-2000	Lum et al.			
		6,136,01	3	· · · · · · ·	10-	24-2000	Marshall et al.			
		6,139,56	2		10-	31-2000	Mauze et al.			
		6,143,16	4				Heller et al.			
		6,152,94	2		11-	28-2000	Brenneman et al.			
		6,155,99	2		12-	05-2000	Henning et al.			
		6,156,05	1		12-	05-2000				
		6,159,42	4		12-	12-2000				
		6,171,32	5		01-	09-2001				
		6,176,86	5	B1		23-2001				
		6,183,48		B1		06-2001				
		6,193,67		B1		27-2001				
		6,203,50				20-2001				
		6,210,42		B1		03-2001				
		6,210,42		B1		03-2001				
		6,228,10		B1		08-2001				
		6,231,53		B1		15-2001				
		6,261,24		B1	ļ	17-2001				
<u></u>		6,261,24		B1		17-2001				
LMA		6,283,92	-		09	-04-2001	Cunningham et al.			

Examiner Signature	MM An	Date Considered	7/20/06	

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-latter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents at www.uspio.gov or MFEP 901.4. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-latter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

St	Substitute for form 1449A/PTO						Complete if Known			
				DIO			Applica	tion Number	10/612,852	
		•			CLOSUR PPLICAN		Filing Date		7/3/2003	
	3	HAIE	INICIAI E)	PPLICAN	• •	First Na	med Inventor	DOUGLAS, J. ROE, RADWANSKI, DUCHO	
							Group /	Art Unit	3736	
ļ	(use as many sheets as necessary)						<u> </u>	er Name	Not Assigned	
She	et	5		of	7		Attorne	y Docket Number	7404-543	
_			<u> </u>	***	<u> </u>	U.S.	PATE	IT DOCUMENTS	<u> </u>	
					tion Date D-YYYY	Name of Pate Application of Cit		Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear		
^	۸A		6,285,454	4		09-	04-2001	Douglas et al.		
 	У ТТ		6,306,104	4	B1	10-	23-2001	Cunningham et al.		
-			6,306,152	2		10-	23-2001	Verdonk et al.		
			6,315,738	3	B1	11-	13-2001	Nishikawa et al.		
			6,319,210)	B1	11-	20-2001	Douglas et al.		
			6,332,87	1	B1	12-	25-2001	Douglas et al.		
			6,364,889	9		04-	02-2002	Kheiri et al.		
			6,364,890)	B1	04-	02-2002	Lum et al.		
			6,375,627	7		04-	23-2002	Mauze et al.		
			6,379,317	7	B1	04-	30-2002	Kintzig et al.		
			6,379,969	9	B1	04-	30-2002	Mauze et al.		
			6,391,005	5	B1	05-	21-2002	Lum et al.		
			6,402,70	1	B1	06-	11-2002	Kaplan et al.	-	
			6,402,704	4	B1		11-2002			
			6,409,740)		l		Kuhr et al.		
			6,461,496	5				Feldman et al.		
			6,472,220	ם כ	B1		29-2002			
			6,485,439		B1		26-2002			
			6,488,89	1			03-2002			
			6,491,709		B2		10-2002			
	$\sqrt{}$		6,497,84	5		12-	24-2002	Sacherer		

Examiner Signature	Mil	An	Date Considered	7/20/06

01-07-2003 Hirao et al.

6,503,210

EXAMINER: initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

WEMMH/SB/08A (4/03)
Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

.

Substit	ute for f	orm 1449A	/PTO			Complete if Known				
				01 00115				10/612,852	0/612,852	
			-	CLOSUF		Filing D	ate	7/3/2003		
5	HAIL	EWENI I	BTA	PPLICAN	11	First Named Inventor Group Art Unit		DOUGLAS, J.	ROE, RADWANSKI, DUCHO	
								3736		
(use	e as ma	ny sheets a	is nece	essary)			er Name	Not Assigned		
Sheet 6 of 7					Attorne	y Docket Number	7404-543			
				1	U.S	PATE	T DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1			Number	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY		Name of Patentee or Application of Cited Document		Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	
MA	1.0.	6,506,57		40 (II KIIOVIII)	01-	14-2003	Knappe et al.		Tigures Appear	
<u> </u>		US 2001	/00319	31 A1	10-	18-2001	Cunningham et al			
-1		US 2002	/00023	344 A1	01-	03-2002	Douglas et al.	-		
		US 2002	/00041	96 A1	01-	10-2002	Whitson			
_		US 2002	/00526	318 A1	05-	02-2002	Haar et al.			
1		US 2002	/00825	43 A1	06-	27-2002	Park et al.			
MA		US 2002	/01034	199 A1	08-	-01-2002	Perez et al.			

Examiner Signature MM A	Date Considered	7/20/06
-------------------------	--------------------	---------

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

WEMMH/SB/08A (4/03)
Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

ork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

Substi	tute for fo	orm 1449A/F	PTO		1		C	Complete if k	(nown			
			D10	OL OCUPE	A	Application Number		10/612,852	10/612,852			
				CLOSURE	F	iling Date		7/3/2003				
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT						irst Named Invento	r	DOUGLAS,	I. ROE, RADWANSKI, DUCI	но		
						Group Art Unit		3736				
(us	e as mai	ny sheets as	s nece	essary)	_	xaminer Name		Not Assigned				
Sheet	7 of 7		A	Attorney Docket Nur	mber	7404-543						
				FC	RE	IGN PATENT DO	CUM	ENTS				
Examiner Initials*	Cite ₁ No.			Document	vn)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Applie	of Patentee or cation of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	7		
MA		JP 0419460	60	A1		11-27-1990	Omro	n Corp		\mathbf{V}		
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	JP 2000110	6768	A2		04-25-2000	Terun	no Corp		~		
1		WO 01/000	090	Al		01-04-2001	Vos			F		
_		WO 01/340	029	A1		05-17-2001	ARKI	RAY, INC.		F		
	1	WO 01/660	010	Al		09-13-2001	Fritz	et al.		F		
	1	WO 02/050	6769	A1		07-25-2002	MAT	SUSHITA EL		F		
MA	 -	WO 97/428	888		_	11-20-1997	Doug	las et al.		T		

Examiner Signature	Mil Ar	Date Considered	7/20/06

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.



WEMMVSB/08A (4/03)
Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCI
Under the Paperwork Hoducal Page of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control num.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (use as many sheets as necessary) Sheet 1 of 2/3 Complete if Known Application Number 10/612,852 Filing Date 7/3/2003 First Named Inventor DOUGLAS, J. ROE, RADWA Group Art Unit 3736 Examiner Name Not Assigned	NSKI, DUCHON
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT Filing Date Filing Date First Named Inventor Group Art Unit Examiner Name Not Assigned 7/3/2003 7/3/2003 First Named Inventor DOUGLAS, J. ROE, RADWA 1000 1000 1000 1000 1000 1000 1000 1	NSKI, DUCHON
First Named Inventor DOUGLAS, J. ROE, RADWA Group Art Unit 3736 Examiner Name Not Assigned	NSKI, DUCHON
(use as many sheets as necessary) Group Art Unit Examiner Name Not Assigned	
(use as many sheets as necessary) Examiner Name Not Assigned	
Short 1 of 72	
Sheet 1 of 2/3 Attorney Docket Number 7404-543	
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS	
Examiner Cite Document Number Publication Date Name of Patentee or Pages, Columnary Publication Date Name of Patentee or Pages, Columnary Page	nns, Lines where ages or Relevant es Appear
MA 0,720,906 02-17-1903 Eilrich et al.	эхрсаг
4,983,178 01-08-1991 Schnell	
5,212,879 05-25-1993 Biro et al.	
5,314,441 05-24-1994 Cusack et al.	
5,439,473 08-08-1995 Jorgensen	
5,476,474 12-19-1995 Davis et al.	
5,529,581 06-25-1996 Cusack	
5,757,666 05-26-1998 Schreiber et al.	
5,820,570 10-13-1998 Erickson et al.	
5,879,367 03-09-1999 Latterell et al.	
5,951,492 09-14-1999 Douglas et al.	
5,951,493 09-14-1999 Douglas et al.	
6,071,250 06-06-2000 Douglas et al.	
6,206,841 03-27-2001 Cunningham et al.	
6,530,892 03-11-2003 Kelly	
US 2003/0069509 A1 04-10-2003 Matzinger et al.	
US 2003/0083685 A1 05-01-2003 Freeman et al.	
US 2003/0083686 A1 05-01-2003 Freeman et al.	
US 2003/0088191 A1 05-08-2003 Freeman et al.	
US 2003/0191415 A1 10-09-2003 Moerman et al.	
US 2003/0199789 A1 10-23-2003 Boecker et al.	
MA US 2003/0199790 A1 10-23-2003 Boecker et al.	

Examiner Signature	Mil	Air	Date Considered	7/20/06

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 509. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

WEMMI/SB/08A (4/03)
Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCI
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control num.

Subatit	uto for f	orm 1449A/	DΤΩ					Complete if Kr	nowa		
Substit	ute ioi i	UIII 1443 <i>P</i> V	F10			Applies	Application Number 10/612,852				
11	NFOR	MATION	I DIS	CLOS	URE			7/3/2003			
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT					ANT	Filing D			ROE, RADWANSKI, DUCHON		
						First Na	amed Inventor		KUE, KADWANSKI, DUCHUK		
/uc	a ac ma	ny sheets a	c noce	ecan/)		Group /	Art Unit	3736			
(USC	e as ilia	ny sneets a	3 /1506			Examin	ier Name	Not Assigned			
Sheet	2		of	73		Attorne	y Docket Number	7404-543			
1					U.S	. PATE	NT DOCUMENTS				
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Doc Number-K		Number de (if kno		tion Date D-YYYY	Name of Par Application of Ci		Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear		
AM		US 2003/	01997	91 A1	10	-23-2003	Boecker et al.				
<u> </u>	 	US 2003/	01998	98 A1	10	-23-2003	Boecker et al.				
	 	US 2003/	01998	99 A1	10	-23-2003	Boecker et al.				
	<u> </u>	US 2003/	01999	02 A1	10	-23-2003	Boecker et al.				
		US 2003/	01999	03 A1	10	-23-2003	Boecker et al.				
_		US 2003/	01999	11 A1	10	-23-2003	Boecker et al.				
		US 2003/	02081	40 A1	11	-06-2003	Pugh				
		US 2003/	02124	24 A1	11	-13-2003	Briggs et al.				
1	ļ	US 2003/	02331	12 A1	12	-18-2003	Alden et al.				
AM		US 2003/	02331	13 A1	12	-18-2003	Alden et al.				

Examiner	1 1	1	Date	1 /
Signature	Mil	Apr	Considered	7/20/06

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered, include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

WEMMK/SB/08A (4/03)
Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCI
ad to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control num.

Substit	ute for fo	orm 1449A/i	РТО			Complete if Known						
16	JEODI	MATION	DIC	OL OCUBE	Ţ,	Application Number		10/612,852	10/612,852 7/3/2003			
	_	_		CLOSURE PPLICANT	Ī	Filing Date		7/3/2003				
	, AIL	INICIAL)	PEIGAITI	Ī	First Named Invento	r	DOUGLAS, J	. ROE, RADWANSKI, DUCI	101		
					Ī	Group Art Unit		3736				
(use as many sheets as necessary)						Examiner Name		Not Assigned				
Sheet	3	of 3		_ T	Attorney Docket Nur	nber	7404-543					
<u>-</u>		•		F(ORI	IGN PATENT DO	CUM	ENTS				
Examiner Initials*	Cite 1 No.	1		Document ber-Kind Code (il know	wn)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Applic	of Palentee or cation of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	τ [¢]		
MA		EP 1 112 7	117	Al		07-04-2001	Abbot	t Laboratories		\forall		
<u> </u>		JP 9-27623	35			10-28-1997	Dainip	ppon Printing C		P		
		WO 02/08	753	A2		01-31-2002	Нурод	guard Limited		P		
\top		WO 93/02	720	Al		02-18-1993	Zenia	International		P		
		WO 93/12	726			07-08-1993	Steinv	veg		\mathbb{P}		
1		WO 94/01	6737	Al		08-04-1994	Weine	er et al.		P		
MA		WO 99/44	508			09-10-1999	Specu	rx, Inc.		\mathbb{P}		

Examiner Signature	Mil Ar	Date Considered	7/20/06
	N. C.		

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Transfation is attached.

PTO/SB/08A (09-03)
Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO Complete if Known 10/612.852 **Application Number** INFORMATION DISCLOSURE 7/3/2003 Filing Date STATEMENT BY APPLICANT DOUGLAS, J. ROE, RADWANSKI, DUCHO First Named Inventor 3736 **Group Art Unit** (use as many sheets as necessary) **Examiner Name** Marmor, Charles Alan II of Sheet Attorney Docket Number 7404-543 **FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS** Foreign Patent Document Publication Date Name of Patentee or Pages, Columns, Lines where Cite 1 Examiner Applicant of Cited Relevant Passages or Relevant MM-DD-YYYY Country Code-Number-Kind Code (if known) Initials' No. Document Figures Appear EP 0 365 196 04-25-1990 **ASTILL TECHNOL** MA Αl

Examiner Signature	Mil Som	Date Considered	7/20/06
			1120/08

*EXAMINER: initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 509. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. 1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the Indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case.

Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information
Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

PTO/SB/08a (08-03)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

	Application Number		10612852	
	Filing Date		2003-07-03	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE	First Named Inventor	DOU	GLAS et al.	
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)	Art Unit		3736	
(Not for Submission under or of it 1.00)	Examiner Name	Mam	nor, Charles Alan II	
	Attorney Docket Numb	er	7404-543	

					U.S.I	PATENTS			Remove		
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Patent Number	Kind Code ¹	Issue Date Name of Patentee or Applicant R						Lines where ges or Relev	
MA	1	5510266		1996-04	04-23 Bonner et al.						
MA	2	6808499		2004-10-26 Churchill et al.							
If you wisl	n to ac	dd additional U.S. Pater	it citatio	n inform	ation pl	ease click the	Add button.		Add		
			U.S.P	U.S.PATENT APPLICATION PUBLICATIONS					Remove		
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Publication Number	Kind Code ¹	Publication Date		Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document		Releva		Lines where ges or Relev	
	1										
If you wist	n to ac	d additional U.S. Publi	shed Ap	plication	citation	n information p	please click the Add	d button	Add		
				FOREIG	SN PAT	ENT DOCUM	ENTS		Remove		
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Foreign Document Number ³	Country	Country Code2		Publication Date	Name of Patente Applicant of cited Document	e or V F	vhere Rel	or Relevant	T5
	1										
If you wis	h to ac	dd additional Foreign Pa	atent Do	cument	citation	information pl	ease click the Add	button	Add		
			NON	I-PATEN	NT LITE	RATURE DO	CUMENTS		Remove		

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)

Application Number		10612852	
Filing Date	-	2003-07-03	
First Named Inventor	DOU	JGLAS et al.	
Art Unit	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	3736	
Examiner Name	Mam	mor, Charles Alan II	
Attorney Docket Numb	er	7404-543	

Examiner Initials*	Examiner nitials* Cite No Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc), date, pages(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.							
	1							
If you wish to add additional non-patent literature document citation information please click the Add button Add								
EXAMINER SIGNATURE								
Examiner Signature Date Considered 7/20/06								
*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through a citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.								
¹ See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at <u>www.USPTO.GOV</u> or MPEP 901.04. ² Enter office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ³ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁴ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁵ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language translation is attached.								

	Application Number		10612852	
	Filing Date		2003-07-03	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE	First Named Inventor DOUG		JGLAS et al.	
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)	Art Unit		3736	
(Not for Submission under or of it 1.55)	Examiner Name	Apani	Apanius, Michael	
	Attorney Docket Numb	er	7404-543	

U.S.PATENTS Remove							
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Patent Number	Kind Code ¹	Issue Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages,Columns,Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	
AM	1	3640267		1972-02-08	Hurtig et al.		
AM	2	4837049		1989-06-06	Byers et al.		
MK	3	5290420		1994-03-01	Matson		
MA	4	5591139		1997-01-07	Lin et al.		
MA	5	5636640		1997-06-10	Staehlin		
AM	6	6120676		2000-09-19	Heller et al.		
If you wish to add additional U.S. Patent citation information please click the Add button.							
U.S.PATENT APPLICATION PUBLICATIONS Remove							
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Publication Number	Kind Code ¹	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages,Columns,Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)

Application Number	10612852
Filing Date	2003-07-03
First Named Inventor	DOUGLAS et al.
Art Unit	3736
Examiner Name	Apanius, Michael
Attorney Docket Numb	per 7404-543

	1									
If you wis	h to ac	dd additional U.S. Pub	lished Applicatio	n citatio	n information p	olease click the Add butt	on. Add			
-	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS Remove									
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Foreign Document Number ³	Country Code ² j	Kind Code ⁴	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages,Columns,Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T5		
WA	1	FR2590673	FR .		1987-05-29	Bally		\		
MA	2	JP02-120655	JP	A1	1990-05-08	NOK Corp		S		
MA	3	JP09-089885	JP	A1	1997-04-04	Dainippon Printing Co. Ltd.		\		
MA	4	JP09-294737	JР	A1	1997-11-11	Dainippon Printing Co. Ltd.				
M	5	WO91/06855	wo	A1	1991-05-16	Tittel et al.				
If you wish to add additional Foreign Patent Document citation information please click the Add button Add										
NON-PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS Remove										
Examiner Initials*	Cite No	I (book madazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc), date, pages(s), volume-issue number(s),						T 5		
	1									
If you wis	If you wish to add additional non-patent literature document citation information please click the Add button Add									

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)

Application Number	10612852
Filing Date	2003-07-03
First Named Inventor	DOUGLAS et al.
Art Unit	3736
Examiner Name	Apanius, Michael
Attorney Docket Numb	er 7404-543

EXAMINER SIGNATURE								
Examiner Signature	Mil	Ar	Date Considered	7/20	06			
*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through a citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.								
¹ See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.USPTO.GOV or MPEP 901.04. ² Enter office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ³ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁴ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁵ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language translation is attached.								